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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN, USIB

Subject: Canal Zone Postal System

- References:
- (a) DCI Message 21 February 1964, Request for assessment of possible damage to SIGINT resulting from non-U.S. employees having access to U.S. registered mail in the Canal Zone Postal System (Enclosed at Tab D).
  - (b) NSA Message 25 February 1964, Interim report on limited investigation indicates no compromise (Enclosed at Tab E).

1. The DIRNSA message (enclosed at Tab A) provides USIB Members with additional information concerning the employment of non-U.S. nationals by the Canal Zone Postal System.

2. This information was requested by the USIB Secretary in order to clarify apparent discrepancies in the information contained in DIRNSA's final report (enclosed at Tab B) which was noted as being "possibly misleading" in a subsequent CNO message (enclosed at Tab C).

3. It is noted that this additional information does not affect the DIRNSA conclusion:

"That no damage to SIGINT sources and methods occurred as a result of non-U.S. employees of the Canal Zone Postal System allegedly having access to U.S. registered mail".

4. It is proposed that no further action be taken on this matter, unless specifically requested by a Board Member.

Executive Secretary/

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